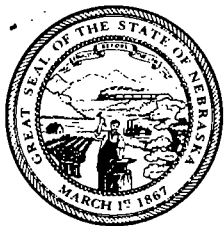


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**Response to EPA Letter April 23, 2012: Supplemental Feasibility Study and Proposed Plan**

Dear Mr. Dalal:

The Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality (NDEQ) appreciates the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) concerns regarding reaching a consensus on OU1 groundwater remedial action alternatives for the Garvey site. NDEQ concurs that it would be helpful to reconcile and compile this technical information, and that a Supplemental Feasibility Study (SFS) would be a good mechanism to present this information. In addition, a complete and accurate list of the OU1 groundwater remedial action alternatives balancing criteria will aid remedy selection.

NDEQ also agrees that an updated Proposed Plan that includes the preferred alternatives S4 and G3 should be prepared concurrently with the SFS.

Please feel free to contact Laurie Brunner, Tom Buell or me at (402) 471-4210 if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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